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SUBJECT: FOUR MAN ASSEMBLY DEFENSE COMMITTEE TO VISIT WASHINGTON

1. ON JULY 15, CHAIRMAN OF ANTIONAL ASSEMBLY DEFENSE COMMITTEE CHONG NAE-HYOK (DRP), CALLED ON AMBASSADOR TO INFORM US THAT HE AND THREE FELLOW ASSEMBLYMEN WOULD BE TOURING VARIOUS DEFENSE INDUSTRIES IN U.S. CITIES FROM JULY 19 THROUGH AUGUST 12 TO INCLUDE ONE WEEK PLUS STOPOVER IN WASHINGTON D.C. (JULY 28 THROUGH AUGUST 5.) KIM CHAE-WON (DRP), CHOE U-KUN (YUCHONGHOE), AND CHAMPION WEIGHTLIFTER HWANG HO-TONG (NDP) WILL ACCOMPANY CHONG. ITINERARY IS BEING ARRANGED BY ROK EMBASSY WASHINGTON. (PARA 3).

2. AMBASSADOR SAID THAT VISIT TO OBSERVE U.S. DEFENSE INDUSTRIES SHOULD PROVE INTERESTING AND TIMELY BUT NOTED UNUSUAL LENGTH OF TIME GROUP PLANNED TO SPEND IN WASHINGTON. CHONG REPLIED THAT HE HAD "NO PARTICULAR MISSION TO PERFORM IN CAPITAL" BUT WISHED TO CONTACT AMERICAN CONGRESSMEN, LARGELY
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FROM ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEES (PARA 4). HE SAID HE HAD COPIES OF NATIONAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTIONS OPPOSING U.S. WITHDRAWAL AND ALLEGED ANTI-ROK ACTIVITIES IN U.S. TO DISTRIBUTE BUT NOT "PRESENT." AMBASSADOR CAUTIONED THAT VISIT SHOULD BE "LOW KEY", AND CHUNG AGREED. NOTING SENSITIVE POSITION KOREA HOLDS TODAY IN WASHINGTON LIMELIGHT, CHONG SAID THIS TRIP HAD BEEN CANCELLED ONCE AND THEN RESCHEDULED. IT

IS ONLY OFFICIAL GROUP OF ASSEMBLYMEN EXPECTED TO TRAVEL TO
U.S. BEFORE NEXT YEAR.

3. SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:

LOS ANGELES ('7)6 19-24)
HUGHES, NORTHROP, GENERAL DYNAMICS AND FORD AEROSPACE

DALLAS (JULY 24-25)
GENERAL DYNAMICS

ST. LOUIS (JULY 26-27) MCDONNELL DOUGLAS

DETROIT (JULY 27-28)
CHRYSLER

WASHINGTON (JULY 28-AUG. 5)
NEWPORT NEWS SHIPYARD

LOS ANGELES (AUG. 5-7)
UNSCHEDULED

TOKYO (AUG. 7-12)
VISIT JAPANESE DEFENSE INDUSTRIES AND RETURN TO SEOUL

4. CHONG SAID HE PLANNED TO CONTACT FOLLOWING AMERICAN
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CONGRESSMEN IN WASHINGTON:

SENATE

HOWARD BAKER

HARRY BYRD JR.

HOWARD CANNON

BARRY GOLDWATER

HUBERT HUMPHREY

HENRY JACKSON

ROBERT MORGAN

SAM NUNN

HOHN SPARKMAN

HOHN STENNIS

STROM THURMOND

JOHN TOWER

HOUSE:

JOHN BRADEMAS

DAN W.C. DANIEL

EDWARD DERWINSKI

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ELWOOD HILLIS

ROBERT LEGGETT

JIM LLOYD

ROBER MICHEL

G.V. (SONNY) MONTGOMERY

JOHN MURPHY

LUCIEN NEDZI

THOMAS O'NEILL JR.

MELVIN PRICE

JOHN RHODES

SAMUEL STRATTON

CHARLES H. WILSON

LESTER WOLFF

JAMES WRIGHT JR.

CLEMENT ZABLOCKI

5. ASSEMBLY GROUP WITH POSSIBLE EXCEPTION OF CHAIRMAN
IS LIGHTWEIGHT.

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